

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Martin P. Madden

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR

IMPLEMENTING A MORTGAGE PLAN

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SECOND RULE 116 AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231 RECEIVED

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Please accept this Second Rule 116 Amendment, in response to the Final Office Action mailed October 16, 2003. Applicants request a suitable extension of time, through and including April 16, 2004, and have authorized charging Applicant's attorneys' deposit account for this purpose.

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